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Notices of Firms.

NOTICE.
MR HANS LEHMANN & MR ERNST GOETZ have this day been admitted Partners in our Firm.

ARNHOLD, KARBURG & Co.
London, New York, Hongkong, and China.
1st January, 1899.

NOTICE.
FROM DATE My Business will be Carried on under the STYLE and FIRM of GEO. R. STEVENS & Co.
GEO. R. STEVENS.
Hongkong, January 1, 1899.

NOTICE.
WE have this day Authorized Mr. ALBERT OTTO to SIGN Our FIRM'S Name in HAMBURG and PARMA.
A. SCHOMBURG & Co.
Hamburg, January 1, 1899.

NOTICE.
MR. GUSTAV ADOLPH DEGENER, BORNEOING retired from Our FIRM on the 31st December, 1898.
We have Established a BRANCH of Our FIRM at TIENTSIN (Tientsin Bay).
Mr. O. SCHWENKE has been Authorized to SIGN Our FIRM by procuration in Hongkong from this date.
CARLOWITZ & Co.
Hongkong, January 1, 1899.

NOTICE.
THE Business of DODWELL, CARILL & Co., here and at Shanghai, Hankow, Yokohama, Kobe, Tacoma, Wash., Portland, Oregon, Victoria, B.C., and Dock House, London, has from this day been transferred to, and will be conducted under the name of—
DODWELL & COMPANY, LIMITED.
Mr. EDWARD SINGLTON WHALLEY has been appointed Manager, and Mr. GEORGE HAROLD MANSOUR, Sub-Manager, at this Port. All Debts Due to or by the Firm of DODWELL, CARILL & Co. will be Received or Paid by DODWELL & Co., LIMITED.
Hongkong, January 1, 1899.

CHEAP FARES TO MACAO.
THE New Steamer KONG NAM, Captain LEUNG, S.K.R., will leave the Market Wharf daily at 7.30 a.m. for MACAO, commencing on WEDNESDAY, the 4th Instant, leaving MACAO at 1.30 p.m. for HONGKONG.
Fares, Single Journey 1st Class (European), \$2.00.
Fares, 1st Class (Chinese), ... \$1.50.
Private Cabins (European), \$3.00.
Tickets may be had on Board.
Hongkong, January 3, 1899.

BELLIOS PUBLIC SCHOOL.
THE Above SCHOOL will RE-OPEN on MONDAY, the 9th Instant.
Mrs. BATEMAN,
Head Mistress.
Hongkong, January 5, 1899.

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1895

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See Special Advertisement.
For Freight or Passage, and further Particulars, apply to
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Hongkong, December 31, 1898.

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THE WEST POINT BUILDING COM-

PANY, LIMITED.

(NOTICE OF CALL).

NOTICE is hereby given that, at a

MEETING of the Board of Directors

of the above Company, held at No. 5,

QUEEN'S ROAD CENTRAL, Victoria, Hong-

kong, on the 6th day of December, 1898,

the following Resolution was passed:

"That a FIRST and FINAL CALL of

TEN DOLLARS (\$10) per SHARE, upon

all the SHAREHOLDERS in the above

Company, in respect of all the SHARES held

by them in the above Company, be and the

same is hereby made, & shall be paid

to the Company at their Bankers, the

HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING

CORPORATION, Queen's Road Central, Vic-

torias, Hongkong, on or before the 1st day

of March, 1899.

By Order of the Board of Directors,

A. SHELTON HOOPER,

Secretary to the HONGKONG LAND

INVESTMENT AND AGENCY CO., LTD.,

General Agents for the

WEST POINT BUILDING COMPANY, LTD.

Hongkong, January 1, 1899.

THE WANHAI WAREHOUSE AND

STORAGE COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE is hereby given that the

EIGHTH ORDINARY ANNUAL

MEETING of the SHAREHOLDERS will

be held at the Office of the General

Manager, No. 1, QUEEN'S ROAD CENTRAL,

on MONDAY, the 16th January, 1899, at

3 o'clock in the AFTERNOON, for the pur-

pose of receiving the Report of the General

Manager, together with a Statement of

Accounts to the 31st December, 1898.

The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Com-

pany will be CLOSED from the 7th to

15th January, 1899, both days inclusive.

MEYER & Co.,

General Managers.

Hongkong, December 30, 1898.

NEW YEAR CARDS.

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Hongkong, 1st January, 1899.

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Hongkong, December 6, 1898.

HONGKONG HIGH-LEVEL TRAM-

WAYS COMPANY, LIMITED.

TIME TABLE.

WEEK DAYS.

7.50 a.m. to 10.50 a.m. Every quarter of

an hour.

11.20 a.m. to 12.30 p.m. Every half hour.

12.30 p.m. to 2.30 p.m. Every quarter of